## Van Zandt County



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#### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

### Confirmed Coronavirus Cases in Van Zandt County

Van Zandt County, Texas (April 5, 2021) – The Northeast Texas Public Health District has received confirmation of thirteen positive cases of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) in Van Zandt County between March 30-April 5, 2021, bringing the total to two thousand five hundred eighty (2580).

All confirmed cases are currently at home in isolation. One case is located in the County with a Grand Saline address, three cases are located in the County with Wills Point addresses, two cases are located in the County with Canton addresses, two cases are located in the County with Van addresses, one case is located within the city limits of Grand Saline, two cases are located within the city limits of Van and two cases are located in the County with Edgewood addresses.

There are currently 2412 recovered cases, 114 active cases and 54 deaths in Van Zandt County reported by the Northeast Texas Public Health District.

The Northeast Texas Public Health District is now required by the Department of State Health Services to report probable cases. Persons with positive antigen test are considered probable cases. Probable cases are not counted in our active cases above. There were eleven new probable cases reported by the Northeast Texas Public Health District between March 30-April 5, 2021, bringing the total at 1556. 98 are active, 1444 are recovered, and 14 deaths.

Governor Greg Abbott has issued an Executive Order (GA-34) lifting the mask mandate in Texas and increasing capacity of all businesses and facilities in the state to 100 percent.

This executive order rescinds most of the Governor's earlier Executive Orders related to COVID-19. Effective Wednesday, March 10, 2021, all businesses of any type may open to 100% capacity. Additionally, this order ends the statewide mask mandate in Texas. Businesses may still limit capacity or implement additional safety protocols at their own discretion.

If COVID-19 hospitalizations in any of the 22 hospital regions in Texas get above 15% of the hospital bed capacity in that region for seven straight days, a County Judge in that region may use COVID-19 mitigation strategies.

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## Confirmed Coronavirus Cases in Van Zandt County

Van Zandt County, Texas (April 12, 2021) – The Northeast Texas Public Health District has received confirmation of eighteen positive cases of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19) in Van Zandt County between April 6-April 12, 2021, bringing the total to two thousand five hundred ninety eight (2598). Confirmation of one death, a 71 year old male in the city limits of Grand Saline, was also received from the Northeast Texas Public Health District today.

All confirmed cases are currently at home in isolation. Three cases are located in the County with Edgewood addresses, three cases are located in the County with Grand Saline addresses, six cases are located in the County with Canton addresses, two cases are located within the city limits of Wills Point, three cases are located in the County with Wills Point addresses and one case is located within the city limits of Grand Saline.

There are currently 2450 recovered cases, 93 active cases and 55 deaths in Van Zandt County reported by the Northeast Texas Public Health District.

The Northeast Texas Public Health District is now required by the Department of State Health Services to report probable cases. Persons with positive antigen test are considered probable cases. Probable cases are not counted in our active cases above. There were twenty one new probable cases reported by the Northeast Texas Public Health District between April 6-April 12, 2021, bringing the total at 1577. 81 are active, 1482 are recovered, and 14 deaths.

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